(b) by when it is likely to become operational?

THE MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI P.R. KYANDIAH): (a) and (b) As per the information received from North Eastern Council Secretariat, the works for the construction of the Inter State Bus Terminus (ISBT) at Silchar, Guwahati and Aizwal have been undertaken with NEC funding. The details are as under:

ISBT	Project cost (Rs. crore)	Funds Released (Rs. crore)	Likely to be Operational by
Silchar	7.15	6.50	March, 2006 March,
Guwahati	14.99	14.99	2006 August, 2006
Aizwal	9.01	3.25	

Funds for projects under NLCPR

656. SHRI NABAM REBIA: Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

(a) The details of projects funded under the Non Lapsable Central Pool of Resources (NLCPR) in the North East Region, State wise/Year wise indicating the amounts released, project wise, till date since its inception, and

(b) The number of unsanctioned project proposals under Non Lapsable Central Pool of Resources (NLCPR) pending with his Ministry State wise/ Year wise?

THE MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH): (a) Till date, 659 projects have been funded under NLCPR for the States in the North Eastern Region including Sikkim. Project wise, State wise/Year wise details of the amounts released till 25.07.2005 may be seen on our website<www.northeast.nic.in>.

(b) State wise/Year wise number of NLCPR projects at various stages of examination with Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region and other Ministries of Government after receipt of Detailed Project Report (DPR)/Revised DPR are given as under:

SI. No.	State	Year		
		2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
1	Arunachal Pradesh	-	7	7
2	Assam	1	11	4
3	Manipur	-	1	-
4	Meghalaya	-	6	1
5	Mizoram	-	1	9
6	Nagaland	-	1	-
7	Sikkim	-	1	3
8	Tripura	-	1	2

Funds for schemes in NER

657. SHRI DWIJENDRA NATH SHARMAH: Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

(a) The funds released for the schemes forwarded by the State Governments of Assam and North Eastern States;

(b) The number of these schemes pending with Government received from Assam during the last one year; and

(c) The details of the proposals cleared by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH): (a) The Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region under Non Lapsable Central Pool of Resources (NLCPR) has released Rs.2965.56 crore till 31.03.2005 for various projects of Assam and other North Eastern States as under:

(Rs. in crore)

SI.No.	State	Funds released upto 31.03.2005
1	Arunachal Pradesh	301.64
2	Assam	714.22
3	Manipur	330.74
4	Meghalaya	156.53
5	Mizoram	385.35
6	Nagaland	355.62
7	Sikkim	271.29
8	Tripura	450.17
	TOTAL	2965.56